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INTERNA PCT/EP2	TIONAL APPLICATION NO. INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 005/002137 01 March 2005	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 01 March 2004				
	TITLE OF INVENTION METHOD FOR COVALENTLY IMMOBILISING BIOMOLECULES ON ORGANIC SURFACES					
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Jürgen RÜHE et al.						
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:						
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2.	This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.					
3.	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.					
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5.	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))					
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	b. 🚺 has been communicated by the International Bureau.					
-	c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receivi	ing Office (RO/US).				
6. 🔽	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C	C. 371(c)(2)).				
•	a. is attached hereto.					
	b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).					
7.	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))					
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	b. have been communicated by the International Bureau.					
	c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.					
	d. An have not been made and will not be made.					
8.	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Art	ticle 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).				
9.	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).					
10.	An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary E. Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	xamination Report under PCT				
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11.	An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.					
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13. 🔽	A preliminary amendment.					
14.	An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.	·				
15.	A substitute specification.					
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